



**American  
Red Cross**

Santa Barbara County Chapter

## **Defensive Driving Requirement- Approved Vendors**

*The direct costs of motor vehicle accidents from fiscal year 1995 to 2004 cost the American Red Cross \$49,161,544. These incidents can adversely impact our ability to serve the community. The organization considers the use of motor vehicles part of the work environment and is committed to promoting a heightened level of staff safety awareness and responsible driving behavior. Our efforts and the commitment of staff will prevent vehicle accidents and reduce personal injury and property loss claims.*

### **AAA**

*Mature Driver Improvement Course (Classroom Version- 8 hours)*

The AAA Mature Driver Course is a safe driving course that addresses changes that occur with aging, how such changes affect driving and various ways for drivers to compensate.

Contact your local AAA office for more information and pricing.  
Classroom course: approximately \$30.

### **AARP**

*Driver Safety Program (Classroom Version- 8 hours)*

*Driver Safety Program (Online Version- 8 hour average)*

The AARP Driver Safety Program is designed to help you understand the effects of aging on driving, learn driving strategies that take into account the changes we experience as we age, identify the most common crash situation we face and reduce the changes of having a crash, update your knowledge and understanding of today's roads, vehicles, and other road users, think about how you drive and identify when driving may no longer be safe.

Contact your local AARP office for more information.  
Online course: approximately \$16 for members and \$20 for non-members.  
Classroom course: approximately \$10.

### **National Safety Council**

*Defensive Driving Course (Online Version- 8 hour average)*

American Red Cross employees and volunteers can obtain defensive driver training through the National Safety Council's online course for only \$15.95- it's normally \$41.25!

Upon completion of the course, participants will have obtained knowledge on how to be a more defensive driver and in some states they may be eligible for a discount on their personal automobile insurance. It's the most comprehensive content of any major driver improvement self-study program -- and it allows you to exit out the course whenever you need and come back to where you left off.

To register for this course, visit the link list below:

[http://www.safetyserve.com/finesource/attend/New\\_student\\_rc.asp?ugid=032DP67J](http://www.safetyserve.com/finesource/attend/New_student_rc.asp?ugid=032DP67J)